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In re application of:

Chia-Hua Chou

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For: Optical Drive Controller Providing Calibrated Laser Diode Driver (as amended)



Art Unit: 2653

Examiner: Joseph R. Haley

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☐ Response to final Office Action dated July 28, 2006.

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**RESPONSE**

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the final Office Action dated July 28, 2006. This response is filed within two months of the mailing date of the final Office Action. Please reconsider the above-referenced application.

**No amendments** to the claims are offered. A listing of the claims begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.